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MUSICAL RECITAL.

The audience collected in the handsomely decorated chapel of the Wichita university Friday evening for a musical program presented. Every number was well rendered.

The chorus class gave variety, and did remarkably well. Clara Fees played Chopin's "Le Printemps" with expression and feeling. Gertrude Forman's selection, "The Sleigh Ride," with bell accompaniment, was one of the favorites, being a novelty and well executed. Miss Birdie Love captivated the audience by her sweet singing, and grace. "Les Deux Amantes," by Miss Nannie Baker, was a pleasing selection. Miss Myrtle McCarty is a credit to her instructors, having a good touch and expression. "Durand's Valse" was performed by Miss Merle Churchill in a delightful manner, the modulation being especially pleasing. Miss McGlade, in her rendition of the "Polish Dance," showed marked musical ability, her phrasing and touch being very good.

As usual the duets and quartets were well rendered. The two piano duo, "Il Trovatore," by Miss Nuss and Miss Baker, was especially enjoyed.

Mrs. Nuss and daughter deserve a great deal of credit for the careful training which the recital showed.

THE CAMPAIGN OPENED.

The Republican city campaign has formally opened and the forces are all in splendid shape for to win one of the greatest victories, comparatively speaking, that has ever crowned the efforts of Republicans in Kansas. While there is practically no opposition, nevertheless the campaign will be fought as vigorously as if the enemy was worthy of Republican steel. The business men are interested, and political commentators may say what they please, but when business men enter the political arena they will carry a force with them that cannot be successfully resisted. It is to the interest of the business men to see responsibility attached to the city government, and they know it and act accordingly.

John W. Adams, Esq., the chairman of the city committee, has made his plans and made them in such a way as to attract the support of the respectable element and Wichita is one city where it cannot be successfully contended that the respectable element is not largely in the majority. "No mud slinging" is his motto and he proposes to adhere to it, although it is probable that the other side, if they ever get organized for battle, will use no other weapons. Mr. Adams makes a first-class campaigner, his methods are honest, square and candid and as he has the ability and the activity required, it will be found after the election is over that he will have conducted one of the best, cleanest and most successful campaigns ever waged in this section of the country. The other members of the committee are also first-class men who will give the chairman valuable assistance.

MASONIC ENTERTAINMENT.

The Rev. Samuel E. Busser, for several years chaplain of the Grand Lodge, has been secured by the fraternity of this city to deliver his great lecture on Freemasonry in the Presbyterian church on Wednesday night, March 22. The music part of the program is in the hands of Mr. William Shaver who will himself sing one or more solos.

The lecture is free and for the benefit of the fraternity and their families. A cordial invitation is also extended to the public generally, as far as it will be possible to accommodate them. Tickets for the number of seats in the church will be issued soon and all those wishing to attend will please ask some Masonic friend who will cheerfully procure free tickets for them.

SOUTHWESTERN BUSINESS COLLEGE NOTES.

Beginning classes in all branches will be organized on Monday morning, April 3. The following students accepted positions during last week: Miss Melissa Farmer, bookkeeper; Lloyd & Co., wholesale harness and saddlery, corner Douglas and Popple avenue, Wichita; Mr. D. P. Bowen, bookkeeper and stenographer, Bank of Conway Springs, Conway Springs, Kan.; Miss Nellie Hupp, bookkeeper and stenographer, S. L. Davidson Loan and Investment company, Citizens bank building, Wichita; Miss Lily Whitaker, stenographer, Houston & Brown, attorneys-at-law, Guthrie, O. T.; Mrs. E. V. Robinson, United States civil service, South Dakota; Miss Lola Maxwell, stenographer, Reese & Corn, real estate brokers, Wichita.

EMERSONIANS.

The Emersonian society of the High school will give a program in the chapel of the High school promptly at 8:45 p. m. New officers will be inaugurated, and Noble, the new president, will deliver an address to the society. An instrumental duet will be furnished by Misses Gertrude and Mildred Hays. Noble's full orchestra will be in attendance. Essays and recitations will be furnished by the members of the society. Everybody is invited to the program. Good music and a good time are expected. Don't miss it.

William J. Weishamer and Miss Annie Silverwood, both of Nuvaue, were granted a license to wed yesterday.

Children Cry for
Pitcher's Castoria.

HARNESS THIEVES.

There are some very clever thieves in Wichita and if the second hand men who purchase their booty were as slick as their customers they would be better off financially. Yesterday Mr. A. W. Oliver sent his stable boy up town on some errand that necessitated speed and the boy mounted a pony and off he went. On returning Mr. Oliver asked him to hitch to the phaeton to take Mrs. Oliver and the children to the depot. On arriving at the stable he found that the harness had been stolen from him. He had been absent only fifteen or twenty minutes. He immediately remembered that while coming back from his errand he saw a second-hand man hanging out some harness which looked like Mr. Oliver's. He hastily rode back, and there sure enough he found the harness, which the second-hand man had just bought. The theft had been committed, the harness sold and the property recovered inside of half an hour, and the only man out by the operation was the second-hand dealer. A description of the thieves was furnished to the officers, but they had left town, taking the southbound train.

CHARLES NOT IN IT.

Charles Hutton is the last man to desert the sinking ship of the Citizens' party. Last night he sent the following card to the EAGLE which explains itself:

"I will not be a candidate for the office of member of the school board at the April election.

"I desire to say in addition that since I became a voter I have invariably voted an unswerving Republican ticket, and in the language of your reporter, I am not 'looking for strange goods.'

"CHARLES HUTTON."

The fact of the matter is Charles Hutton was never in the race as a Demo-Populist candidate. Many of his friends wanted him to run independently, but even this he would not do as he believes that the ticket nominated by the majority of the party in convention assembled should be given every Republican vote, and as he is and has been since his majority voting the Republican ticket straight, he could not desert it now. It was unnecessary for him to state that he was not the candidate of a belligerent combination, for his many friends knew, without a word from him, that he was not a bolter.

ASSESSOR'S MEETING.

All the assessors of the county met at the court in the regular annual session and discussed many matters pertaining to their labors.

The basis of assessment was fixed 30 per cent. of cash valuation.

The following values to be fixed on live stock and grain were agreed upon: Station and jacks, twenty times the price of hay; horses, 10 times; mules, 10 times; cattle, \$15 to \$20; third-class, \$5 to \$15; second-class, \$10 to \$15; first-class, \$15 to \$20; stock cattle, 2-year-olds, \$7 to \$9; 4-year-olds, \$5 to \$7; 1-year-olds, \$1 to \$4; Hogs, 83 cents per head; Sheep, 50 cents to \$1 per head; Corn, 8 cents per bushel; wheat, hard, 10 to 14 cents per bushel; soft, 10 to 15 cents per bushel; Oats, 7 cents per bushel.

All other property to be assessed at 30 per cent. of cash value and to be left to the judgment of the assessor.

STALWARTS MEET.

Representatives of the Stalwart Democracy of the county held an informal meeting in Joseph Coste's office in the Sedgwick block yesterday to talk over the situation and to suggest plans for a thorough reorganization of the party in this county at last. Several of them were present and the meeting was harmonious, and as they expressed it profitably. Some very encouraging letters were read both from state and national politicians which indicated that when the Kansas offices are to be divided the stalwarts will not be forgotten. It is said that Cleveland, personally, is partial to the Kansas straight-outs and that he has expressed his opinion to the effect that the party should be reorganized, and that the straight-outs up. At any rate they are confident that their fealty to what they call principle will not be over looked by President Cleveland who is considerable of a stalwart himself.

ANOTHER THOMAS.

A few days ago the EAGLE made a note of the marriage of Thomas J. Irwin to Miss Fowler, and that "note" has caused no end of trouble and nearly a dozen breaches of promise suits. It was the paper out of the press when the office of Thomas J. Irwin, secretary of the board of education, was besieged with "big brother" by the dozen who thrust the paper under his nose and wanted an explanation, many of them threatening him with all kinds of punishment in the breach of promise suits. Tom was too astonished for utterance, but when he got an opportunity he hunted up the EAGLE reporter, who explained to him that this world was large enough to hold more than one Thomas, and that the other one had a perfect right to get married if he wanted to. This satisfied the dozen, and the matter is still sore, for it served as an exposure of the fact that he had too many outstanding matrimonial promises on the market.

ABOUT THE STATION.

Frank Foster, Frank Davis and Henry Peterson were run in last night, charged with being drunk and loitering in public places.

William Johnson was arrested last night for being drunk. He was discharged from the county jail a few days ago.

James O'Brien was arrested last night for being drunk and charged with loitering on the street.

Deacon Smith and Doc Peck were howling drunk last night, and gave the officers a hard fight. Doc had the proverbial bottle of alcohol in his pocket. Deacon insists that he will be able to preach today.

The mounted policemen caught another coal thief last night. About 100 lbs. of coal they found a man taking coal from the Santa Fe yards near Kellogg street and brought him to the station. He gave the name of Sam Mosely.

A constable from Kingfisher came to Wichita yesterday and was evidently not acquainted with the quality of liquor sold here for he was gloriously drunk last night. He was locked up.

THE JASPERITE MUST GO.

Tomorrow night the city council will meet, at which time paying with asphaltum will be declared necessary on Douglas avenue. This is practically settled by the committee of the council appointed to investigate the matter and report. They have heard every voice interested and the unanimous wish is for immediate paving with asphalt.

This, then, being the case, it is only a question of a few weeks till work will be commenced and a swarm of men will be employed tearing up the street, for it is the intention of the council that the work should be done rapidly as possible. It is a genuine relief to think that the Jasperite eye-ore is about to be replaced with something decent.

THE METROPOLIS TO OPEN.

Two gentlemen from Cincinnati, O., have leased the Metropole hotel, and will open it to the public the latter part of this month, or as soon as they can get the house in order. The new proprietors are now in the city.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

AT THE CURET.

E. H. Goodhart, Leavenworth; James L. Conway, Kansas City; L. N. Silbert, New York; George E. Foster, St. Louis; J. K. Whitrow and wife, Augusta; W. E. Vincent, Hutchinson; Z. S. Wise and wife, Toledo, O.; J. M. Dabson, G. V. Van Derbeck, New York; G. Allen, St. Louis; U. S. Hitchcock, Chicago; J. W. Stout, New York; C. C. Card, St. Louis; Nels Madison, John Althoff, Charles Grant, Charles Waters, A. E. Myers, Illinois; T. H. Trice, Mr. and Mrs. Drosenbury, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Renney, T. E. Grant, Winfield; W. E. Cooper, Mad. Nelson, K. C.; George W. Hamilton, William Justice, Chicago; H. K. Amberton, Springfield, Ill.; George R. Smith, E. S. A. E. Worcester, P. Scott; A. L. Sproule, Chicago; A. W. Wilson, McPherson; E. E. Skinner, Cleveland; J. W. Horner, New York; J. K. Koster, Milwaukee; F. B. Holbrook, Kansas City; Frank Hamilton, Topeka; S. P. Stubbs, Sterling; L. H. Stamba, Kansas City; J. M. Kinnear, Kingfisher; G. G. Langbarth, Denver; Charles T. Neal, Hazelton; G. W. Supp, Wellington; W. Scott, Cincinnati; O. H. Odell, Kansas City; E. E. Wright, Lawrence; Joe E. Jones, Kansas City; C. Y. Trice, J. H. Fallinwidder, Kansas City; C. C. Turner, El Dorado.

AT THE OCCIDENTAL.

G. C. Figg, Chicago; E. Hutton, Argosy; G. Chapman, Kansas City; J. Booth, Kansas City; Tom Canna, Medicine Lodge; H. A. Je more, Kiowa; Mrs. D. T. Tupper, Winfield; W. R. Hays, Topeka; G. M. Clark, Kansas City; G. Robinson, Kansas City; J. C. Gray, St. Louis; O. P. Greenfield and wife, Hutchinson.

TO YOUNG MEN.

No young man in the city should fail to hear Dr. Winter's sermon on "A Brilliant Success, or the Foundation of a Prosperous Young Man's Fortune," at the First Presbyterian church this evening at 7:30. It is a most very interesting to business men of all ages. Come.

UNION STOCK YARDS NOTES.

H. Phipman of Millerton sold a car of beef and cattle.

J. B. Kell had in a mixed load from Clearwater.

Pat McKinley shipped in a car of cattle and hogs.

Top hogs yesterday sold at only \$7, but they were not of very good quality.

Extensive preparations are being made for the entertainment to be given at the residence of Mrs. A. W. Biting on next Wednesday evening. A general invitation is extended to all. The work of the McCall mission is purely inter-denominational and deserves a liberal support. After the entertainment is rendered refreshments will be served.

Song.....Mr. Newell C. Knight
Song.....Mrs. Finlay Ross
Recitation.....Miss Kate Junkerman
Song.....Miss Chapman
"Dr. McCall and His Work in Paris"
Violin solo.....Mr. Sherman Basley
Song.....Mrs. E. C. Caldwell
Song.....Mr. Imboden
Sketch of Mission Boat.....
Song.....Mrs. David Winters
Song.....Mrs. George Carra

The Y. P. S. C. E. social, literary, musical and general entertainment in the Fairmount institute building on Friday night was a decided success. The duet by Misses Deming and Childs was well received. The piano solo by Miss Cora Hyde was rendered in excellent style. The recitations by Miss Miller and Miss Sullivan were great treats. Professor Young made a satisfactory and kept the audience in a continual roar of laughter. His recitation elicited genuine applause. Mrs. Carrie Lasher, the prima donna of Fairmount, favored the gathering with a vocal solo in her inimitable and artistic manner. President Tunnell made some appropriate remarks. An excellent lunch was served and everyone had a general good time.

Hon. Tim McCarthy was in the city last night having brought Miss Nora, his daughter, down to All Falls avenue. Miss Nora has been sick for some weeks but she has now completely recovered. Recently Mr. McCarthy was appointed to the position of cashier of the First National bank of Larned, a very thriving and popular institution which will continue to thrive for the services of such a popular and efficient gentleman as Mr. McCarthy. His address is certainly a guarantee of increased prosperity. The only change that could be made on the general's change is that he did not, when entering into business, choose Wichita on account of the wide field he would have been both now and in the future for his abilities.

Chicken thieves have been deprecating the henneries in the south part of the city for several nights, a number of valuable fowls being taken from several premises. If the foul creatures walk away, in the still, small hours of some dark night, with a load of lead added to the load of chickens, the thieves will get very long, if they persist.

Clement & Thomas, owing to the increase in their business have been compelled to enlarge their facilities, and have moved into the new commodious rooms across the hall from the ones they have been occupying in the Clement block on North Main street. They will have one room especially for insurance business and two for real estate.

Miss Hazel Schell who has so ably filled the position of cashier for the S. E. Noyes Dry Goods Co., since its organization, severed her connection with them last evening in order to devote all her time to her musical education. Her many friends will be glad to hear of the change as her talent in that direction has been fully demonstrated.

Hon. Ira E. Lloyd of Ellsworth and Charles J. Evans, Esq., the county attorney, will be in the city for the important law business in the United States court. These gentlemen, with Edwin White Moore and Hon. O. H. Bentley have been trying their case, which involves some land in Ellsworth county, before his honor Judge Williams at chambers. Messrs. Lloyd & Evans are leading lawyers of Central Kansas.

Miss Dora Martin has completed a very successful six months' term of school teaching south of the city. She will probably be given a place in the city schools, which will make it more pleasant for her by being at home. Miss Martin has all the elements of a splendid teacher, for she has a winning disposition that is far more powerful than the birch in enforcing discipline.

The report of Gov. Glenn's mission to Washington yesterday was a little misleading. The governor is not a candidate for the postoffice, but for a position in one of the departments at Washington.

Judge Shields has returned from Topeka where he had been for some weeks assisting in the preparation of the appealing case. He has many interesting things to say concerning the history of the legislature just adjourned and of Kansas politics in general.

The grocery firm of Dunn & Lehman, at 415 East Douglas avenue, is no more. Mr. Lehman having sold out his interest in the firm to Mr. Dunn. The style of the new firm will be Frank Dunn & Bro.

Miss Rosetta Ross is slowly convalescing from her recent severe illness, the grip.

The coroner's jury returned a verdict in the Clara O'Leary inquest yesterday evening. They found that she came to her death from some cause unknown to them. The woman was buried in Maple Grove cemetery yesterday.

"Are existing agencies in christian work adequate to the demands of the present day?" will be the question for discussion at the Ministerial association next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. J. A. Lawrence will open the discussion.

The College Hill school gave an excellent literary and musical entertainment Friday night, the program for which is at hand but too lengthy for publication in this issue.

The jury in the case of the United States vs. Antonio Cabes, who was charged with perjury, found the defendant guilty yesterday afternoon. Mr. Cabes was remanded to jail to await his sentence.

The partnership heretofore existing between John Schooner and J. C. Coats has been dissolved. Mr. Coats will retain the present office and continue the practice of law.

Miss Ella Burgett is ill.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

OPEN MEETING.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the South Lawrence Christian church will give an open meeting, with an interesting program, on next Friday evening, March 17. You are most cordially invited to come and bring your friends.

ANNA MONROE, Sec.

The ladies of W. R. C. No. 40 will meet at Garfield hall Monday, March 13, at 3 p. m., for the purpose of making arrangements for the funeral of Mr. Oliver.

EMMA J. S. LAPAZ, Sec.

The Wayside Home association will hold their regular monthly meeting at the Home, No. 151 South Patton avenue, on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock sharp.

MRS. M. W. ALLISON, Sec.

Regular meeting of W. R. C. No. 40 at Garfield hall on Wednesday, March 15, at 2:30 p. m.

EMMA J. S. LAPAZ, Sec.

THE WOMAN'S COUNCIL.

Will meet Monday afternoon in Hypatia room, Fisher building, at 3 o'clock. Each auxiliary delegate will be expected to give a two minute talk on their work. Every one cordially invited to attend.

The Parish Aid chapter of St. John's guild will meet at the church on Wednesday, March 15, at 4 o'clock p. m. Business of importance to come before the members. A full attendance is very much desired.

MRS. R. W. RHAMES, secretary.

THE CHURCHES.

Free Sunday service. Strictly un denominational. Children between 3 and 9 years of age admitted free every Sunday morning between the hours of 10:30 and 12:30 free of charge. Room 207 Sedgwick block.

First Lutheran church, Sedgwick block, Eugene R. Shipman, minister. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Regular service at 11 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "The Destiny of Man." Strangers always welcome.

Plymouth Congregational church, corner of Lawrence avenue and Second street. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, F. A. Bissell. Communion in the morning. Subject in the evening, "The Naturalness of Christianity." Sunday school at 12 m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. All are welcome.

Church on Fairmount Heights—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Professor C. T. Young. Sunday school at 10 a. m. George C. Strong, superintendent. Y. P. S. C. E. meets at 6:30 p. m. Miss Hattie Russell, Pres., presiding.

Regular Sunday services at the First M. E. church. Preaching in morning at 10:30 a. m. by the pastor, Dr. C. C. Holt. In the evening at 7:30 Miss Jennie Smith will read the Word of God. The Y. P. S. C. E. will preach. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Epworth league devotional services at 6:30 p. m.

West Side Baptist church, corner of Seneca and Maple streets—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Warrier. Sunday school at 10 a. m. H. A. Haden, superintendent.

The Mayflower Congregational church, No. 1322 Fairview, avenue, C. L. Mills, pastor—You are cordially invited to attend the Bible school 10 a. m., with H. E. Baker in charge. The pastor's thought will be on the subject of "The Christian's Last Word," being the first of a series of Passion sermons. At 8 p. m. the subject, "The Christian's Last Word," by the Y. P. S. C. E. Evening service begins at 7:30, subject, "King Will and Queen Conscience."

First Baptist church, corner Topeka avenue and First street—Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. E. H. Jones. Morning subject "A Great Meeting." Evening subject "The Christian's Last Word." Sunday school at 12 m. Dr. E. S. Everett, superintendent. The B. Y. P. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to all these services. The Y. P. S. C. E. will show you to a good seat. The evening service will be evangelistic.

The Dunkards—Preaching at 7:30 p. m. in the brick church on Cleveland avenue, one-half block from Douglas avenue. All are invited.

St. Paul's M. E. church, corner of Thirtieth street and Lawrence avenue, Dr. McCormick, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. C. J. Davidson, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. C. C. Woods of Anthony. Prayer meeting at 12 m. Epworth league prayer meeting at 6:45 p. m. Song service and gospel meeting at 7:30 p. m. conducted by Secretary A. Baird of the Y. M. C. A. and others. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

Reformed church, corner of Topeka avenue and Lewis street, J. W. Love, pastor—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m. Everybody welcome.

First Presbyterian church. The pastor, David Winters, will conduct services tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The subject of the morning service will be "Four Great Lessons Taught in the School of the Great Teacher." The theme of the evening sermon will be "A Brilliant Success, or the Foundation of a Prosperous Young Man's Fortune." The Sunday school will meet at 9:30 a. m. the junior Y. P. S. C. E. at 3:30 p. m. and the senior Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. You will be welcome at all these services.

St. John's Episcopal church, North Lawrence avenue—Fourth Sunday in Lent—No communion. Morning service at 11 a. m. subject, "To Him That Hath Shall be Given." Afternoon service at 4 p. m. subject, "The Queen of Sheba." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Young people's club at 5 p. m. All cordially invited to be present.

West Side Presbyterian—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. conducted by the Rev. G. S. Sweeney of Topeka. The president of the Kansas Y. P. S. C. E. Sabbath school at 3 p. m. C. E. junior 4:10 and the Y. P. S. C. E. prayer service at 6:45. All are cordially invited.

Offert Congregational church, South Topeka, corner Orme street, Robert L. Marsh, pastor—Preaching morning and evening. This last, by Rev. Stephen J. Morgan of Topeka. Morning service at 11 a. m. subject, "The Spectator Around the Cross," followed by the Holy communion. Evening service at 7:30, sermon, "Feeding for Faith," followed by evangelistic services to be continued each evening until further notice. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. T. E. Sexton, superintendent. Everybody invited.

Church of Christ, Superintendent, 211 North Market street, north room in the Sedgwick block. Willis F. Groves, pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject, "The All is Mind and Its Ideas." Evening "Truth Makes Free." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Study of Science and Health on Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. Bible reading on

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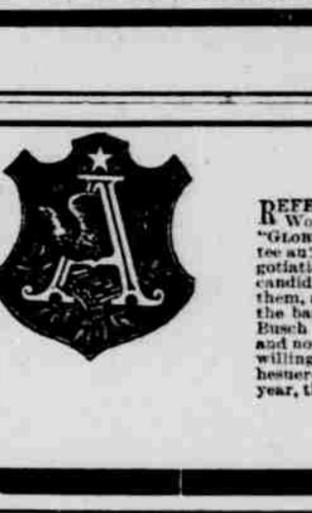
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DEFERRING to the Beer Contract for R. World's Fair. Castoria Restaurant the "Globe Democrat" says: "When the committee authorized to let the contract opened negotiations with Mr. Busch that gentleman would not let it be known that they were looking for a supply on the basis of cheapness, then the Anheuser-Busch would not let it be known that they were willing to pay for good beer, such as the Anheuser-Busch manufactures every day in the year, then he was ready to treat with them."

Thursday evening at 7:45. All accordingly invited.

Emporia avenue Baptist—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. R. P. Carlton, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by Rev. William Wilber.

Lincoln Street Presbyterian church—The pastor, George R. Smith, will conduct services at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. The last of the series of Gospel readings will be held in the evening commencing at 7:30 o'clock. An interesting meeting is expected. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

At the Central Church of Christ on Lord's day Pastor Sims' themes are as follows: At 10:45 a. m. "Watchfulness." At 7:45 p. m. "The Divine Demonic." One thousand such programs will be presented to those present.

Oak Street Presbyterian church—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject of morning sermon "A Reasonable Request." For evening sermon "Building Material." Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Professor U. P. Shull, superintendent. C. E. meets at 6:15 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 subject, "Reasons for Praise." Psalms, 168, 1-12.

SEVERE PENALTIES.

Punishment inflicted upon the Lawless in Ancient Pennsylvania.

The assembly that convened at Chester December 4, 1852, enacted a code of laws that made the people of the new colony live up to the mark, and while many of the severe penalties of the duke of York's code were softened, yet the unfortunate deserved them harsh enough. The men or women who used profane language was punished by fine or imprisonment, and more than one person had reason for regret for expressing their feelings in public with too much emphasis.

The severest punishment was meted out for licentious conduct. A public whipping and one year's imprisonment were the penalty for the graver degrees of this crime, while a second offense was punishable by imprisonment for life. This law was amended in 1763, the first offense being punishable by the infliction of twenty-one lashes and imprisonment for one year or a fine of fifty pounds. A second conviction subjected the culprit to seven years' imprisonment and a letter "A" was branded on his forehead.

The man that had more than one wife, instead of being an object of commiseration, was liable to be sent to jail for life, while the man who broke into a house and stole was sent to jail for four months. He had to work like a beaver, however, and unless he reformed, fourfold to the party the court sent him up for seven years to give him time for reflection.

Murder was punished with death and the forfeiture of half the estate of the felon.

Theft was punished with public whipping and various terms of imprisonment, while extortion had to be made from three to four fold.

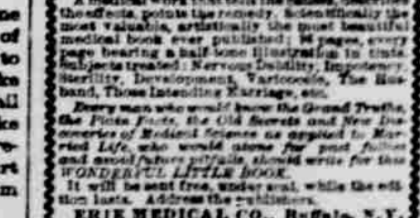
The minor regulations prohibited all persons from taking part in stage plays, revues, masques and kindred worldly pursuits, so that any troupe that had wanted to drop into Pennsylvania with the late raucous boom-de-ay would have been sent higher than Gilead's kite.

Drinking of health was punishable by a fine of five shillings, or five days' imprisonment, and horse-racing, shooting matches and sports of like character were interdicted. If the offenders happened to be slaves they were whipped and imprisoned instead of fined.

VICTORIA AS A PROMPTER.

Her Majesty's Amazing Attempt to Help Ellen Terry With Pertin's Lines.

A delicious story, for the accuracy of which a correspondent of the Pall Mall Gazette can vouch, is going around, asserting that Mrs. Terry and Miss Ellen Terry, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject, "The Merchant of Venice"—her name, my seat in front, stick in hand and all atten-



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